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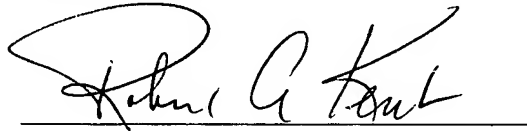
Applicants hereby submit the following documents to be filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office:

- Amendment and Response to Non-Final Office Action, Mailed November 14, 2005; and
- Return receipt postcard.

Please date stamp and return the enclosed postcard evidencing receipt of these materials.

Applicants believe that no additional fees are due in association with the filing of this response. However, should the Commissioner deem that any additional fees are due, including any fees for extensions of time, Applicants respectfully request that the Commissioner accept this as a Petition Therefor, and direct that any additional fees be charged to the Deposit Account of Halliburton Energy Services, Inc., No. 08-0300 for any underpayment of fees that may be due in association with this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert A. Kent", is written over a horizontal line.

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION,
MAILED NOVEMBER 14, 2005**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on November 14, 2005 (the "Office
Action"), the following are submitted:

- **Amendments to the Specification**, which begin on page 2 of this paper.
- **Amendments to the Claims**, which are reflected in the listing of claims
that begins on page 5 of this paper; and
- **Remarks/Arguments**, which begins on page 8 of this paper.